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REPLY IN RESPONSE TO MAY 19, 2006 OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir/Madam:

Applicant hereby responds to the Office Action of May 19, 2006 in the abovereferenced patent application. Reconsideration and allowance of the patent application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are shown in listing of the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.